

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YAVAPAI

DIVISION: 6

By HON. WARREN R. DARROW

CASE NO. P1300CR20081339

JEANNE HICKS, CLERK

By: Heather Smith, Deputy Clerk

DATE: July 30, 2010

FILED

DATE: 07/30/10

1:20 O'Clock P.M.

JEANNE HICKS, CLERK

BY: **HEATHER SMITH**

Deputy

TITLE:

STATE OF ARIZONA

(Plaintiff)

vs.

STEVEN CARROLL DEMOCKER

(D-1)

(Defendant)

COUNSEL:

Yavapai County Attorney

(For Plaintiff)

John Sears

Larry Hammond & Anne Chapman

OSBORN MALEDON, P.A.

(For Defendant)

HEARING ON:

Jury Trial – Day 32 – Sealed Hearing

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS

COURT REPORTER

Christy Harrington

START TIME: 1:20 p.m.

APPEARANCES: Joseph Butner, Deputy County Attorney
Jeff Paupore, Deputy County Attorney
John Sears, Counsel for Defendant
Larry Hammond, Counsel for Defendant
Anne Chapman, Counsel for Defendant

At 1:20 p.m. Court and Counsel meet in chambers, outside the presence of the Defendant and the Jury Panel, on the record.

Defendant's presence is waived for the purpose of these proceedings.

Court indicates, all of these proceedings shall be under seal.

Court provides a copy of a Juror note to Counsel.

Court and Counsel briefly discuss the note.

Court will take this matter up at a later time.

At 2:10 p.m., Court takes a recess.

At 3:07 p.m., Court and Counsel meet in chambers, outside the presence of the Defendant and the Jury Panel, on the record.

Defendant's presence is waived for the purpose of these proceedings.

IT IS ORDERED all Jury Questions from this point on, shall not be scanned into Onbase, however; may be left in the Court file without being sealed unless otherwise specified by the Court. The only Juror Questions to be sealed at this time are those which contain any kind of medical/personal information or a Jurors name.

Court and Counsel further discuss the Juror note.

Based upon the note from the Juror, Court and Counsel believe it would be appropriate to discuss the issue with Juror [REDACTED].

Court will have the bailiff direct Juror [REDACTED] to remain present after the proceedings for today have ended.

Court and Counsel discuss questions from the Jury Panel for the witness.

At 3:32 p.m., Court takes a recess.

At 4:29 p.m., Court and Counsel meet in chambers, outside the presence of the Defendant and the Jury Panel, on the record.

Defendant's presence is waived for the purpose of these proceedings.

Parties briefly discuss the issue regarding the Juror Note.

The Court directs the Clerk to seal the note the Court received from the Juror pertaining to Juror [REDACTED].

At 4:55 p.m., Juror [REDACTED] enters the Court's chambers.

Court addresses the Juror as to the note.

At 5:03 p.m. Juror [REDACTED] is excused for the evening and exits chambers.

Court will review some caselaw over the weekend and may further address the Juror issue on Tuesday, August 3, 2010.

At 5:28 p.m., Court adjourns for the evening.

cc: Dean Trebesch (Contract Administrator) (PD)
Christopher DuPont, Trautman DuPont PLC,
Counsel for Victims Charlotte and Katherine DeMocker
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Victim Services
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